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Petition for Extension of Time

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicant respectfully petitions for an extension of time of one (1) month from the original response date of December 16, 2003 for responding to the outstanding final Office Action in the above-identified patent application. With the extension of time, the period for response now extends up to and includes January 16, 2004. A check for \$110.00 is enclosed herewith.

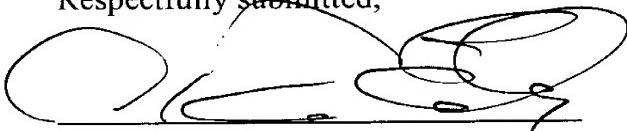
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